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OATH OF DECLARATION:

JUVENILE WEIGHT REDUCTION FORMULA

Healthy weight loss is achieved when the fiber based supplement is taken before meals with a full glass of water, expanding in the stomach giving a feeling of fullness. As a result, less hunger and more controlled eating. The chromium helps reduce cravings for carbohydrates while reducing cholesterol, burning fat and building muscle.

Glucomannan (Konjac Root) is a high fiber supplement taken from the Konnyaku root. Glucomannan is an effective weight control agent that helps to reduce cholesterol, normalizes blood sugar and absorbs toxic substances produced during digestion and elimination of waste. Glucomannan has the ability to absorb water and swell to 50 times its original volume creating a full feeling. Some studies have reported improved glucose control and decreased cholesterol. Glucomannan is a natural dietary, calorie free, high fiber powder which is obtained from the root of the Amorphophallus Konjac, which has been safely consumed as food for over 1000 years in the Orient. It is a pectin-like, gel fiber which absorbs liquid (up to 50 times its weight) giving a feeling of fullness. Studies of human subjects and rats have indicated that glucomannan forms a gel and greatly increases the moisture content of the food bolus during digestion. Glucomannan promotes bowel health and helps to relieve stress on the pancreas. A study published in the Journal of Obesity (1984) 8,289293 conducted by David E. Walsh, Vazgen Yaghoubian and Ali Behforooz, stated that Glucomannan forms a gel around the food particles, causing digestive enzymes to release sugars and fats at a slow rate. This process greatly increases the moisture content of the food bolus during digestion.

Studies indicate that our Weight Reduction Formula containing chromium picolinate helps reduce carbohydrate cravings, lower serum cholesterol and glucose, burn fat, and build muscle.

Chromium regulates insulin function. If you aren't getting enough chromium, your insulin cannot perform as effectively as possible. Rather than moving glucose into your cells to be burned for energy, it remains in your blood stream and is more likely to be stored as fat.

A double blind, crossover study showed an average of 7% cholesterol reduction in subjects taking chromium picolinate, enhances the ability of insulin to lower serum glucosē levels; can also produce anabolic effects similar to steroids, but without any of the side effects. It not only increases strength and muscle mass, but was also shown to decrease body fat by 22% in one study.

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JUVENILE WEIGHT REDUCTION

SUPPLEMENT FACTS

Serving Size 6 chewable tablets

Serving per container 30

Amount per serving		%Daily Value
Vitamin C (ascorbic acid)	1000 mg	1667%
Vitamin B6 (pyridoxine hcl)	30 mg	1500%
Iodine (from kelp)	200 mcg	133%
Chromium (amino acid chelate)	200 mcg	167%
Amorphallus Konjac (glucomanan)	1200 mg	
Psyllium Husk (Plantago Ovata)	2000 mg	
CLA (Conjugated-Linolenic Acid)	2000 mg	
% Daily Value not to established		

Directions: Take 3 tablets twice daily 1/2 hour before meals.

180 CHEWABLE TABLETS

Other Ingredients: Croscarmellose sodium, stearic acid, gelatin, microcrystalline cellulose, magnesium stearate, silicon dioxide, water.

